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The Weekly Ledger

My Hair is xtra Long

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on increases in population and cannot be limited means. Every Nation of has used the Tammany things and has employ-This sort of practical rare in the western been a fruitful ution, for what the

> of "Personal Liberty ing of the disgraceful Hon. W. H. Wallace's w, Mo., editorially illace spoke at Glas ere some "persona ns, and pans, blew so long that they are rpetuate their rule imidation; but, you and I defy you. disturbers finally doubt to the sathey came. This "I am your ent men to say to now with roice, and vote-"I am your for Judge Wallace enforcement candi-Democrats of Mis-

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who use the newspe experimenting with ver have cause to he results. Experts ie world over proot only the very best ical manager was d to make such an DO YOU GET UP put posters on all m-in which field peated; he had put ,000 hand bills and he had putsigns on advertised in the every performance theater, on which had brought them ads. The people theaters are pretty rt of people that andise wants to

.. Democrat edi the Senate bill na sava: Senator y interview in Sunog why he intro-He says Warasked Stone to in-Warner had been nd Dyer and so a favor to Warner. sounds strange to has read that ed by law from the Government ent is in any that Senators

DR. J. W. Crewdson, of Louisiana, Mo., has withdrawn from the race for the state senate from this district, which leaves the contest between Eu-gene Stark and Joe Tapley, both of Pike. In a letter to the Ledger Dr. Crewdson says.

"Demands upon my profe

time have been so insistent that I find it is utterly impossible to canvas the district. So far I have not had ne day to devote too the campaign, ealizing full well unless I could make cannot be solved and present my claims to the voters I could not ex-pect their support. Therefore I leave the field clear to my two opponents nd return to my professi well content to leave politics alone.
"You may state that I will fill all the dates I had with fraternal soci-

eties to make the addresses as schedul-ed by them. To my friends over the district who have so faithfully work-ed in my behalf, I want to assure them of my appreciation of their splendid efforts, and should at any time an opportunity present that if can be of service to them it will afford me great pleasure to assist them in every way possible.

"Yours out of politics, Dr. J. W. Crewdson."

JOHN MORRISON FULLIER, Joe Ne-ville and William Loebr have been ust be in proportion to its sined \$75 and costs for disturbing the strength. We cannot esspeaking of Hon. W. H. Wallace, at roise of our power or our Glasgow, Mo. These gentlemen plead-ico Woole of the communication sary to our own turbing the peace. The whole affair mosperity that we do our mass a disgrace to the State of Missake our neighbors peace-souri. Mr. Fuller expressed his resperous. The conditions gret at the occurrence, and commended the Mayor for Imposing the flue, and added that all who were conand in the South Central cerned in the affair were equally guilty. Joe Neville and Wm. Loch lent to be chosen. The also entered a plea of guilty and were Panama seems to have each fined \$75 and costs. Mesers. ama seems to have each fined \$75 and costs. Mesers was having a mammoth barn built on imitative in his Fuller and Neville paid their fines his farm north of Mexico.

Hon. W. S. COWHERD, candidate for Governor of Missouri, was intro-duced to a magnificent audience at much better. Court House here Thursday night by J. P. Blanton Hon. George Robertson. Mr. Cowberd is a good speaker and talked sound Demogratic doctrine. The Court House was crowded with representative citizens who gave the dis-tinguished speaker close attention, the residences and business houses and approved his ideas as expressed from tramps. England has had to Cowherd is very strong in Audrain county for 1878 was \$5,308,—
Cowherd is very strong in Audrain county for 1878 was \$5,308,—
County, and his friends claim he will 253. Texas levied \$74,316,53.

The assessed value of real estate in The funeral was held from the home at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, the services conducted by Rev. carry it by a large majority.

have to continue that THE Glasgow Missourian, referring anal interests in Pan- to the death of a cousin of Henry Edreat to have them subpetual political earth"Dr. A. R. Edmonds, one of the best
known and most highly respected cititens of Saline county, died at his
sumption.

The Monday He was well best with the subsumption. prominently identified with State polities, and was for years a member of

tes—a saloon gang, of Denver convention, referring to the break up the meeting. new currency bill, stated: "This reminds me of a placard once put on judge, raising his man. It read: "This man is a very din, said: "Here is bad man in some respects and a damn of so-called personal sight worse in others." That's what

THE property owners along th north aide alley are practically unanimously in favor of paving, and we are glad to know that this work will be done as soon as possible. The governor when they alleys on the east and west sides of the square should now be taken up.

THE people of Mexico are all vitally interested in the success of th proposed electric road to Perry, and neard and read all will do everything that is reasonable and it should cause to assist in the completion of this work.

Elmer Keiser has purchased the up-te-date business man, and will continue to give the patrons first class service.

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable

on already tried it, may have a samp ottle sent free by mail, also a book tel g more about Swamp-Root, and how indostif you have kidney or bladder tro le. When writing mention reading the enerous offer in this paper and send you

dress to Dr. Kilmer fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles are the strong less sold by all good druggists. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name. Sygamp. Rest. De Viliano Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on

Senator's friends stated that Warner was sick, therefore Stone introduced the bill as a matter of courtesy. But it was shown that when Stone introduced the bill Warner was not sick, but was in his seat. Now Senator Stone gives a reason that sounds very fishy. We think it would have been petter had the senator not attempted

the Democratic State central commit-

ons have run this the currency bill is."

For Sale.

Two lots, four-room house, good outbuildings, living well, all kinds of fruit. Apply 909 Mansfield St., Mex-

from Carl Dillard. Mr. Keiser is an

WITH A LAME BACK

ated; he had put an on the streets; he not the streets; he no the streets; he no thad putsigns on advertised in the every performance interest, on which heater, on which ed to state what had brought them replies were tabude that over 75 per goers had responder ads. The people successful in promptly curing lame back, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back.



HON. W. J. BRYAN, Who was nominated for the Presidency by the Democrts for the third time on the first ballot at 2 a. m. Friday

30, 20 and 10 YEARS AGO THIS WEEK. HIMITALIA HIMITALIA HAR

THIRTY YEARS AGO THIS WEEK. J. M. Miller, foreman of the Mexico Woolen miles, had \$20, stolen from

Prof. Hamill was re-elected superintendent of the Louisiana public

The C. & A. track was completed to Clark's switch.

Mrs. Weating, who fell down stairs, affering a stroke of parlysis, was

J. P. Blanton, of Troy, Mo., wa

to organize a home guard to protect

TWENTY YEARS AGO THIS WHEEL

Miss Betty Miller and mother were going to Nevada, Mo., to reside.

Wm. Miller, of Laddonia and Miss

An infant of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Pitt of Laddonia.

trug store, on Jefferson street. Some one fired a pistol in front of

wall, and rebounding fell on floor, Mrs. Elizabeth Peery died at her home in Bush Hill.

A barn belonging to W. H. Turner, near the Waterworks, burned, Insurance \$300 00. Cadet Geo. M. Brown, was tendered reception at the home of Mrs. Bul- life by this clever stroke of strategy,

ard, of Martinsburg, on the evening he got his traps together and went of of his departure for Denver, Colo. Joshua Haines, of west Mexico, fell rom a cheery tree and broke his Hal Gibbs bought the Dr. Lemon

property on East Promenade street. TEN YEARS AGO THIS WEEK. J. C. and W. G. Wilkins attended

W. Hawkins, at Centralia. The following Mexico young ladies vere visiting out of town: Misses Ida bbins, Paris; Frances Karnes, Mob- trip to Clarence, Mo. Ethel erly; Kate Hollopeter, Champ;

Plunkett, Perry; Catherine Hinde, Brunswick; Madge Robertson, Higginsville: Essie Norris, Moberly; Cecil Weimer, Glasgow; Minnie Baskett, Alvins, the 19 months old daughter

of Mr. and Mrs Luckerman, died in Prof. Wallace Crossley was trave ing in the interest of Hardin Col-

The infant daughter for Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Ferguson, of near Thompson, died.

The following young ladies of Mex ico were home from visits out of town: Misses Grace Hollopeter, St. Louis: Kate Duncan, Madison; Frances Howe, the country; Della Tully, Kapsas City; Carrie Jackson, Hallsville.

Mrs. Mary Tomlinson, aged 71 years. died at her home in Mexico. The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barnett died of congestion

of the brain. Lawrence, the infant of Mr. Mrs. Thos. F. Roden died.

At a meeting of the Santa Fe picelected president. The date set for the annual picnic was to be August

N. D. Crow, of Clarence, and R. E. Hawkins, of Shelbina, Mo., bought he Montague stock yards, lying north of the ratirond on Jefferson street. The tollowing composed a fishing

party at a camp near Dougan Gray's me portheast of Mexico: W. W. Harper, Cy. Clark, Jas. Lewis, Geo. Johnson, Chas. Craig, Octave Holt, Will Harper, Chas. Dobyns, Chas.

Woman Plow Boy Near Centralia. Mrs. Martha Munston, a widow who lives nine miles from Centralia, for four years has plowed her fields, har-vested her grain and supported her-self and there will be supported her-Dr. Russell fell down the stairs at self and three children. Mrs Mun-P. M. Morris' corner and broke a ston's busband died four years ago and, as his only bequest left her a fifty-acre farm heavily mortgaged. She had no friends to whom she could appeal, so to keep her family together assumed all the duties of a man. Yesterday she went into town and paid off the mortgage. She is a small woman, hardly able to perform the Jim Robinson, the bare back rider labor demand of her. Mrs. Munston is well educated and after the day's work is done reads Tennyson, Burns and keeps well informed on current topics.-Columbia Tribune.

Mrs. Frank Ruse Dead Mrs. Frank Ruse, aged 36 years died at her home eight miles north- Lowrey. east of this city, at 11 o'clock Friday eased is survived by her husband and five children, four girls and one Wig Wag," Booth Lowrey

H. I. Cobb, after which the remains were ! interred in the City Cem-

The Ledger loins other friends in extending sympathy to the hereaved

Saw the Devil near Long Branch. ale Walker 1:30 p m - Markee Band Paris (Mo.) Appeal. A traveling showman funished a Josie Payne, of Montgomery City, good deal of excitement around Tulip were married by J. W. Higbee, in this last week. His buggy and outfit were found in a secluded place on the D. W. Hobart farm and his horse was died at she home of its parents north found in Chas. Turner's pasture but the only trace of him was his tracks leading into Long Brauch. Fearing that he had taken his own life or met with foul play, the neighbors made diligent efforts to find his body. Joel Gutbries residence on south Jef- Several days later the stranger turned ferson street, the ball hitting the up, looking a good deal the worse for the wear. He asserted that the devil had overtaken him in that vicinity and that he had been fleeing for his life, having waded down Long Branch, d the country to Allen Creek and followed it to Elk Fork, keeping close to water on the theory that the Devil's distaste for it would make it his best defense. Having saved his

his way rejoiding. Hon. Joseph A. Potts. Hon. Joseph A. Potts and wife and their son, Sims, will spend the summer in Mexico. Mr. Potts is very much pleased with the substantial improvements which have taken place ere since he left, and is always glad to get back to his old home. While the funeral of their relative, Mrs. J. Mr. Potts has made large and profitable investments in Texas, he will continue to visit Mexico frequently. J. W. Dry is home from a busines

"The Blood is The Life."

Science has never gone beyond the above simple statement of scripture. But it has illuminated that statement and given it a meaning ever broadening with the increasing breadth of knowledge. When the blood is "bad" or impure it is not alone the body which suffers through disease. The brain is also clouded, the mind and judgment are filected, and many an evil deed or impure thought yet a significant in the imposity of the broad. Foul, impure blood can be made pure by the ma of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It enriches and nurities the blood thereby curing plumpes, blooches, eruptions and ter, or sait-rheum, hives and other nifestations of impure blood.

S S S S S In the cure of scrofulous swell In the cure of scrofnlous aweilings, en-larged glands, open eating ulcers, or old scres, the "Golden Medical Discovery "has performed the most marvelous cures. In cases of old sores, or open eating ulcers, it is well to apply to the open sores Dr. Pierce's Ali-Healing Salve, which possesses wonderful healing potency when used as an application to the sores in conjunction with the use of "Golden Medical Discovery" as a blood cleansing constitutional treatment. If your druggist Discovery as a blood cleansing consti-tutional treatment. If your druggist don't happen to have the "All-Healing Salve" in stock, you can easily procure it by inclosing fifty-four cents in postage stamps to Dr. R. V. Pierce, 635 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y., and it will come to you by return post. Most druggists keep it as well as the "Golden Medical Discovery."

You can't afford to accept any medicine of unknown composition as a substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery," which is a medicine of known composition, having a complete list of ingredients in plain English on its bottle-wrapper, the same being attested as correct under cath. Dr. Pierce's Picasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels.

MEXICO CHAUTAUQUA ASSEMBLY July 22- 29, 1908-Daily Program

Eight O'clock A. M.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22. 10:00 a m -Concert by Markee Fam lly Band.

Gates Open Each Day at

-Organization of Seton Indian Club. " -Lecture, "The Art of 11:30 Reading," Mrs. Fenetta Sargent Has-

" - Markee Family 1:30 -Reading by Mrs. Haskell. 2:00 " - Address by prominent officians. Particulars later. -W. C. T. U Hour. Address by Mrs. Carrie Lee Carter-

" -Chautauqua Round Ta--Markee Band. " -Reading, Mrs. Haskell. -- Address by promine

THURSDAY, JULY 23. 9:00 a. m. -Seton Indian Club. " -Bible Study.
" -Markee Band.
" -Half an Hour with 11:30 Booth Lowrey.

1:30 p. m. —Markee Band. 2:00 " —Reading, Mrs. Haskell. " -Entertainment by Pama 2:30 hasiks and His Pets.
4:00 p.m.— W. C. T. U. Hour Address, "Physicial Education," Mrs.
Haskell.
5:00 "—Chautauqua Bound Ta-

-Markee Band 7:00 " -Reading, Mrs Haskell. 8:00 FRIDAY, JULY 24

FRATERNAL DAY 9:00 a. m.-Seton Indian Club -Bible Study " -Markee Band Strength " -Address, 11:30 Grace and Beauty," Mrs Haskell 1:30 p m -Markee Band 1:45 " -Lecture, "The Philosoph)

of Friendship, "Dr Richard Wilkin

3:00 " -Markee Band 3:15 " -Parades and Drill by Fraternal Organizations. " -WCTU Hour 4:00 5:00 " -Chautauqua Round Table Address, "The Negro Fables," Booth

-Markee Band 7:00 Reading, Mrs Haskeil -Lecture, "Simon Says SATURDAY, JULY 25 FARMER'S DAY

9:00 a in -Seton Indian Club -Bible Study -Farmer's Field Excurs on, Led by Prof John E Cameron 11:00 a m -Markee Band 11:20 " -Lecture, "The Man With the Hoe," Mrs Jessie MacKen-

2:30 " -Illustrated Lecture Agriculture, Prof J E Cameron 4:00 " -W C T U Hour 5:00 " -Chautaugua Bound Table Address by Mrs Haskell 7:00 " -Markee Band-Last Ap

8:00 " -Beadings, Mrs Haskell-Last Appearance
8:30 " — Stereoptieon Lecture Birds and Their Relation to Agricu ture," Prof J E Cameron SUNDAY, JULY 26 9:00 to 12:00 a. m .- Sunday Scho

and Services at Churches, as usual 3:00 p m - Special Music. Lecture Savonarola, an Italian Portrait in a Florentine Frame," Mrs MacKenzi 6:00 p m-Vesper Service; Addres by Booth Lowrey.

MONDAY, JULY 27. Educational Day. 9:00 a m Seton Indian Club. " -Bible Study. 11:00 " -Dixie Jubilee Singers. 11:20 " -Lecture, "King's Palace Mrs Mackenzie Walker. 1:30 p m-Dixie Jubilee Singers " -Lecture, "The Americ Gospel," Prof Arthur Lee. 3:00 p m-"Pot Luck with a Poet Edmund Vance Cook. 4:00 p m-W C T U Hour.

5:00 p m-Chautauqua Round Tat

8:00 p m-Concert by Dixle Jub

Booth Lowrey.

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Singers. TUESDAY, JULY 28 9:00 a m-Seton Indian Club. 10:00 a m-Bible Study. 11:00 a m-Dixie Jubilee Singers 11:30 a m-Half an hour with Bo

2:00 p m-Dixie Jubilee Singers 2:30 p m—Lecture, "The Man Galilee," George R Wendling. 4:00 p m-W C T U Hour. 5:00 p m-Chautauqua Hound Tabl Address, "Idylls of the King," Prof. Arthur Lee. 8:00 p m-Dixie Jubilee Singers

8:30 p m-Lecture, "Tolerably Good

People," Booth Lowery. WEDNESDAY, JULY 29 Recognition Day. 9:00 a m-Seton Indian Club. 10:00 a m—Bible Study. 10:45 a m—Dixie Jubilee Singers 11:00 a m-Grand Pow-Wow of Seton ndlans 1:30 p m-Dixie Jubilee Singers

2:00 p m-O L S C Recognition Ex-3:00 p m-Lecture, Col George 4:00 p m-W C T U Hour. 5:00 p m-Chautauqua Round Table 8:00 p m-Grand Finale - Program

y Jubilee Singers, Booth Lowrey and

Col Bain.

Mayes-Gardner. Ira F. Mayes and Miss Cindia Gard er were married at the court house Thursday afternoon at 1:30 by Judge W. W. Botts. The Ledger extends congratulat

Mrs. J. J. Rice and daughter,

Fulton, passed through Mexico. Thursday, en route to Boston.

An Honest Doctor Advised Peruna.



SYLVESTER E. SMITH.

Robust Health Ruined. MR. SYLVESTER E. SMITH, Room 218, Granite Block, St. Louis, Mo., writes: "Peruns is the best friend a

me to take Peruna, which I did and in a short time my health began to improve very rapidly, the bronchial trouble gradually disappeared, and in three months my health was fully re-

"Accept a grateful man's thanks for his restoration to perfect health.

(REVISED TO SUIT ALL COMERS.) We, the party in power, do hereby

Republican Platform

mbined sentiments: In the first place, we would respect-fully call attention to our great record, which includes saving the Union, keeping Harriman out of jail, freeing the slaves, driving the wolf from Andrew Carnegie's door and caring for our noble and needy veterans of the late war, including their friends and relatives, wives, grandchildren and other distant connections. Also, our upholding of the gold standard, thus nabling Wall Street to keep up its redit, and our disinterested efforts in behalf of the laboring man, who, if he votes our way, will surely get a

good job some time or other after the campaign is over. We are in favor of spelling reform not because it isn't all right in itself, ur most important industrie, namely the writing of the best sellers. We cannot deprecate too strongly the

open acceptance of funds for campaign ourpose from our leading friends and financiers, who, under a mistaken zeal in a good cause, have in the past handed us their money, and we cannot accept any such contributions this year in any such brazen manner. If anything like that is done, remembe that we don't know is. In the words of scripture (which we are glad to have an opportunity of quoting right berei Let not your right hand know wha your left had is doing. Our treasurer me and back-door address sent on application.

We hereby promise to take up the tariff question and discuss it occasion ally during the next four years when

there is nothing else to do. Our navy, now almost equal to none will be still further enlarged. The gradual disuse of some of our principa ferris will enable us, at a small cost to make several important addition to the list of our battleships and fast cruisers. In conformity with our usour national ideals, they will be called ry Hawes in St. Louis, Jim Reed in the Hoboken, Weiner Wurst, Passover, Shamrock, and so on.

We believe thoroughly in the liberty of the press, and shall continue to buy up only enough newspapere in the large cities that the great mass of people may not be misied by the corrilous cartoons and slurs of the

A suitable currency bill will shortw be introduced into Congress, which will make it unnecessary, in times of and other of our patriotic citizens to question would be distinctly detrimental to our policy.

And, in conclusion, if we are one nore given the sacred trust (of which, of course, there can be no possible doubt), we shall see that all corpor ations and combines are kept in their places, the laws are properly and regularly referred to in our editorial col umns, and that our next Congress pends only about double what the ver. He was so poor when a boy that estimates call for.

Done with the consent and good Carnegle and J. P. Morgan, at Chicago etc. etc.

The G. O. P.

The Dainry Dessert REPARED INSTANTLY. Simply add b

E. M. Watson, Austin Bradford, W.

Hubbell, Maraball Gordon, and J. E.

Crumbaugh were over from Columbia, Thursday evening, to attend the Cow Mrs Logan Kidd is visiting in Ga

lens, Kans.

LARGE CROWD HEARS COWHERD

Spoke at the Court House Thursday Evening after Making Four Other Speeches in Audrain During the Day.

After making four speeches in Audrain county. Toursday afternoon, Hop. W. H. Cowberd, candidate for nomination for governor on the Dem-ocratic ticket, spoke at the court house here Thursday evening to a crowd that completely filled the court

Mr. Cowhord spoke at Vandalia at 1:30 in the afternoon, and from there he went to Laddonia where he spoke again at 4 o clock At the latter place Mr. Cownerd was met by Dr. E. S. Cave, Chairman of the Audrain County Democratic central commit tee, and David Robertson in the latters automobile. After speaking at Laddonia the party composed Hon, W. H. Cowherd, Dr. E. S. Cave and David Robertson started from this city coming by the way of Martinsburg- Here the party took supper, Mr. Cowherd making a short

A telephone message had been sent to Benton that the party would pass through there, and when they arrived a crowd had gathered to meet them. pointed in addition to When the candidate for governor published in the Ledger: reached the court house he found a Committee Tollet Room: prowd of several hundred people

awaiting his arrival. The speaker was introduced by Hon George Robertson, of this city. "We "A few months ago I came here in a wretched condition. Exposure and dampness had runed my once robust said Mr. Robertson. "During the dampness had runed my once robust said Mr. Robertson. "During the lighty years of Missourians have been elected to the office of governor and for a time there was a doubt as to my recovery.

"My rood honest old doctor advised" to the manor born, a native of the untry from which he now hails.' "Against the public record as Mayor f Kansas City and as Congressman of the Fifth District, there has never been brought one word of adverse

Mr. Cowherd spoke along the same lines that he has for several weeks, discussing the political situation of the nation and state, promising the people to stand by the party.

colare the following as being our Bryan Nominated on First Ballo Convention Hall, Denver, July 10. 3:45 a. m .- William J. Bryan was nom inated for President by the Dem cratic National Convention on the first ballot.

FIRST BALLOT.

Bryan, 8924.

son, 46.

Gray, 591. The convention had been in session since 8 o'clock last night. The dem-onstration over the name of the Ne-leave Mexico, but wish them much braskan lasted an hour and ten min- success in their new home.

Folk's Second Martyrdom. St. Joe News-Press. Contract. That was a characteristic piece of hitical work which the anti-Foikers Wabash R. R. Co., For money. did at Denver. They had Folk where they wanted him-away from home, new type, thus helping out one of and without his crowd. How they to Boston on a visit to friends and re-new type, thus helping out one of and without his crowd. How they to Boston on a visit to friends and re-new type, thus helping out one of and without his crowd. How they forecast of the storm and sought a Liewellen has taken for sometime, cyclone cellar. He showed wisdom, and his friends wish him and his wife Joe Shannon could not conquer the a splendid trip. Irish recklessness that was spoiling in him for a fight and remained. He was Tuesday night. Entrance was guined

> cause he drew the fire that illuminated the shortcomings of the enemy. The purpose of it all, of course, was to "roll" Folk. While it wasn't exactly the steam-roller process, it was pretty much life one—the Stone crusher method. Folk got only the scan tiest recognition from the delegates and like the villain in the play, they "still pursued him" when it was thought that he was going to be made hairman of the committee on permanent organization.

These gentlemen seem to have over poked the very important fact that martyrdom is one of Governor Folk's most important campaign assets. He was martyred into the nomination four years ago and the crown carried him into office. Folk's cause didn't promise much until the chief spearsmen of the old machine began to prod him simultaneously. There was Harin the center, with numerous petty banderillos on all sides, labbing vigorously. It was the crowd against the

The individual stood his ground, and fought vigorously and consistently. The public did then what it does generally in cases of that kind-it sympathized with the "under dog." present situation is somewhat an alogous to that of four years ago; it is panic, for Mr. Morgan, Mr. Rockefeller the old spavined gang, supplemented by those bandwagoners whom the imperil their fortunes to help us out. governor failed to reward, and they The authors' copyright question will are giving full play to the wrath which be, as usual, agitated during our term they have been nursing for an of office. Any settlement of this opportunity. They have impaled Folk upon the fork of their fury and are scalp-dancing in the feverish ed stacy of a fancied triumph. In the meantime Folk is taking things easy and anxious only, no doubt, that his ond martyrdom shall reach Mis souri in a good state of preservation.

David Rankin, the noted Missour corn grower, will be 83 years old thi month, reflects the Cameron Obser he went barefooted a great part o each summer until he was 28 years tellowship of Thomas Ryan, Andy old. He paid his last dollar to the preacher who married him in 1850 ut now he owns 85,000 acres of good land and 1,000,000 bushels of corn He is worth \$2,000,000 and made it by farming and cattle dealing.

Dr. Richard Wilkinson, the great Southern orator, who will lecture on Robert E. Lee" on the second eve ng of the chautauqua, invites all th old soldiers and the daughters of the Confederacy to meet on the platfor with him. Phis address by Dr. Wilk H. Rothwell, N. H. Hickman, F. D. inson will be our of the leading featares of the entertainment.

> Mrs. C. C. Pore will returned to he ome in St. Louis, Saturday, after a several days visit with S. L. Ro

Rheumatism is caused by an excess of uric acid in the blood, which is carried through the circulation to all portions of the system. Every muscle, nerve, bone and joint absorbs the acrid, pain-producing poison, causing aches, inflammation, stiffness and other well known symptoms of the disease. Permanent relief from the pains and discomfort of Rheumatism cannot be expected from the use of liniments, plasters, and other external treatment which does not reach the blood, where the cause is located. Such measures give temporary relief, but in order to cure Rheumatism the uric soid and inflammatory poison must be expelled from the blood. S. S. S. curses Rheumatism because it is a perfect blood purifier. It goes down into the circulation, neutralizes the uric acid and drives it from the blood. S. S. S. expels the irritating, inflammatory matter which is causing the pain, swelling and other discomfort, enriches the weak, sour blood, and permanently cures Rheumatism. In all forms of Rheumatism, whether scate or chronic, S. S. will be found a safe, vegetable remedy; possessing the properties needed to cure, and at the same time a medicine that builds up the entire system by its fine tonic effects. Book on Rheumatism and any medical advice free to all who write.

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ADDITIONAL COMMITTEES

pleted for the Big Odd Fellow Meeting in Mexico July 21.

Arrangements are being completed for the big Odd Fellows reunion to take place in Mexico July 21. The following committees have been applied in addition to those already sixteen-hour law. This is the first

Si Gilbert Marshala: R S McKinney Joe Offutt Ball game tickets: J D McKee, seller. Henry Llewellyn, collector Gate keepers for dinner: Henry Marshall Walter Squires John Howard T J Kelso Fred English

Meat carvers: Wm Owen R S McKinney E L Johns B A Powell Robert Jolly Waiters: John Lane

B Hassler Frank Miller Clearing off and cleaning up ground J W Squires

M B Wilson Mrs. Victor Victor and children together with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mayfield, left Thursday for Jefferson City, where they will make their fu-ture home. Mr. Victor is now in charge of the Metropolitan Life Insurance office of that city. We re- men saved themselves by jumping.

leave Mexico, but wish them much

W. W. Conner vs Frank Dudley, on

St. Louis & Han. Ry. Co., ve to Boston on a visit to friends and re-a latives. This is ithe first outing Mr. J. F. Llewellen and wife have gone Bodine's barber shop was entered met and organized,

was taken. Special.-Six dozen white skirts deep lace and insertion, regular \$1.25 utes. Second session: Convened at 8 seller, on sale choice 79 cents. Also any \$1.50 shirt walsts on sale now for 99 cents. Note left window. Cent Store.

Spencer-Monk. F. W. Spencer, of Thompson, and Miss Eula W. Monk, of Sedalla, were narried at their newly furnished home n West Love street at eight o'clock, Wednesday evening, July 5, by Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Spencer have the best wishes of their many friends in Mexico and Audrain county.

Help for Those Who Have Stomach platform was adopted. Byran was cheered an bour and Trouble. ten minutes after being nominat-After doctoring for about twelve rears for a bad stomach trouble, and ed by Ignatius J. Dunn, of Omaha. spending nearly five hundred dollars for medicine and doctor's fees, I purchased my wife one box of Champer lain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, which did her so much good that she continued to use them and they have done her more good than all the medicine I bought before. SAMUEL BOYER, Folsom, Iowa. This medicine is for sale by Criswell Drug Co. Samples

An Operation Performed. Wilhelmenia, the little daughter of Dr. Taylor, who resides on N. Jefferson street, was operated upon for ap pendicitis, Friday afternoon. Wilbelmenia has been very ill for the past week, in fact her condition has been serious and as a last resort an operation was performed. The patient underwent the opera

tion extremely well, and to-day her

condition is reported as more encour

aging than at any time for the past

several days and her many friends

hope to see her well in due time

All of the members of the Rebekah Lodges in the different towns of the State are cordially invited to attend the Odd Fellow barbeque on July 21. visit with friends in Centralia. All other secret organizations are also invited to come and enjoy the day. This will be as one Fraternal day for relatives in Columbia. Mexico.

Arrangements Are Being Com- Charged With Violating the Sixteen Hour Law, the Court Decided Against the Railroad Here

WABASH FINED \$700

Wednesday. The Wahash ratiroad company was fined \$700 by the Court here. Wegnesconviction in the State of a railroad

under the new law which went into effect in 1905. This case, the State ex rel John D. Orear vs. the Wabash railroad company, grew out of a wreck which occurred in the western part of the Wabash yards here Feb. 26th, 1907, when the Moberly, St. Louis Accomi tion collided with a freight train whose crew had been working over sixteen hours, resulting in the death of the engineer on the passenger

The case will be appealed. There is more Cauarri in this section of the country than all other diseases put ingether, and until the last few years was supposed to be industrial. For a great mass approped to be industrially a supposed to be industrially and the industrial reason that it is the constitutional disease and therefore regulars constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarri Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheery & Co., Toledo, Ohio, in the out; constitutional cure on the market. It is taken insternally in doses from 10 drops to a bespoondul. It acus directly on the blood and nucous surfaces of the system. They deep one landered dollars for any case it falls to cure. Sand for circulars and betimonis.

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Small Wreck at Martinsburg. odger Special.
Martinsburg, Mo., July 11.—Freight train No. 91 going west struck an open switch here this morning at 4 o'slock, wrecking the engine, tender and two cars. The engineer and fire-The train was running only about 12

miles an hour to take orders. What The Democratic Convention

Denver, July 10 .- This is the re-

cord of the barmony convention of the Democrats at Denver: Tuesday, July 7-Convention met at promise on Cleveland resolution, sealing pact of party unity. Adjournment at 5 p. m., when big committees

Wednesday, July 8-First session: indiscreet, but is to be pardoned be- after having broken a glass. Nothing Convened at 12:29. Speech by Senator Gore started Bryan demonstration, lasting one hopr and twenty-one min 'clock. Speeches until report of Credentials Committee was received at 99 9:20 o'clock. Hot fight against report of Credentials Committee oust Guffey delegates in Philadelphia, Oldtime Pennsylvania "boss" was defeat-

ed. A Bryan victory. Reslutions Committee worked all night. Thursday, July 9 .- First [session: Convened at 11 a. m. Speech by permanent Chairman Henry D. Clayton, Adjournment to wait for platfform. Second session: Convened at 7 p. in. Rules were suspended to permit nominating speeches to be made before

Resolutions Committee reported at 11:30 p. m. Two hours required to read the platform. Bryan nominated and convention adjourned at 4:10 a. m. Official clock was stopped at 12 midnight so as to avoid the Friday Friday, July 10 .- Convention con-

Indiana, chosen for vice presidency by colsmation. Adjournment sine die taken at 4:24 p. m. Chamberlain's Colle, Cholera and

vened at 1 p. m. John W. Kern, of

Diarrhoea Remedy Would Have Saved Him \$100.00. "In 1902 I had a very severe attack f diarrhoes," says R. N. Farrar, of Island, La. "For everal weeks I was unable to do anything. On March 18, 907, I had a similar attack, and took Chamberiain's Colic.Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which gave me prompt relief. I consider it one of the medicines of its kind in the world, and bad I used it in 1902 believe it would have saved me a hundred dollar doc tor's bill. Sold by Criswell Drug Co.

Mrs. Rufus Jackson is home from a

P. H. Cullen is home from St. Louis.

L. N. Clark and wife are visiting

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